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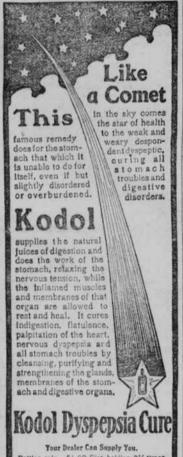
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WAR PREPARATIONS.

A semi-official dispatch to a St. Petersburg news agency from Vladivostock and private information from Mukden state that, owing to disturbances between the Koreans and the Japanese in Korea, the Russian Second Rifle Regiment, at the Russian Second Rine Registers, its full strength, has been dispatched to Korea in order to protect Russian interests there. The Russian squadron at Vladivostock is also preparing for ac-

tion.

The Navy Department at Washington in receipt of two cablegrams from the commanding officer of the United States ship Vicksburg, at Chemulpo, dated the 4th and 5th inst., respectively, as follows: "After consultation with American Minister, we are of the same opinion aspect of affairs very grave at Seoul. There is much fear of riot by Korean soldiers. I have completed arrangements to send the company of marines overto send the company of marines over-land by railroad at the critical moment; also about 35 men and field gun from this vessel at Chemulpo if deemed nec-

The second message is as follows:
"Two officers and 35 men have left for Seoul. The remainder of guard is prepared if any demand. There is little change in the situation."

A Russian cruiser has left Port Arthur ith a reall will the force on board.

with a small military force on board. Its destination is unknown, but is prob-

ably Chemulpo.

The widely separated vessels of the German Far Eastern squadron have been ordered by Rear Admiral von Prittwitz to concentrate at Tsin Chou, Province of Shantung. This movement is considered at Berlin as probably relating to the possibilities of war between Russia and Japan.

The preparations for the embarkation The preparations for the emorkation of two divisions of Japanese troops are continuing actively. It is believed they will be dispatched to ports in South Korea to restore order. The Japanese government has now decided to send an army of 35,000 men, organized as two divisions, to Korea. This is more than double the strength of the expedition first contemplated and requires a large fleet. contemplated, and requires a large fleet of transports and extensive arrangements which are proceeding rapidly toward completion. The destination of this army is expected to be southern Kores, particularly Fusan and Masampho. Rumors are in circulation at Marseilles

that a French naval division, com-posed of the armored cruisers Kleber, Desaix and Admiral Aube and the turret ship Suffern, is about to receive or-ders to sail for the Far East.

The question of a neutral zone in

Korea has been a stumbling block in the negotiations between Japan and Russia. The answer of Russia was decided upon at a conference of government officials and the Car Sunday. It was stated yesterday that Russia, in her answer to Japan, had made great concessions and hoped that her proposals would be acceptable.

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tions had been sent to Viceroy Alexieff, on which the reply was based. The lat-ter was drawn up in the most conciliation spirit. Some of the Japanese proposals were accepted, while others were made the subject of extended observations and were met by counter-proposals.

Long and careful consideration wa

given to the situation in the Far East yesterday by the President and his Cabinet. This government has been keeping in close touch with the progress of events in the Orient through diplo-matic channels, but the information received is carefully guarded. At the con-clusion of the Cabinet meeting the mem-bers were unusually reticent. Scarcely an intimation of the subject of their dis-cussion could be obtained. It is felt by officials of the administration that it officials of the administration that it would be improper publicly to discuss a subject so delicate as that witch is pending between Japan and Russia in which, too, the United States is not one of the principal parties. The government's relations to the contraversy are purely commercial. If war between Japan and Russia should result, while it is not expected that, even in a remote way, the United States would be drawn into it, efforts certainly would be made by this government to protect its commerce in the Far East.

SPEAKER CANNON TAKEN IN.—The other day Speaker Cannon bought sixty volumes of a historical work from a glib No. 717 King street,

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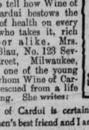
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